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In re Application of: **Michael Zasloff et al.**)
Application No. **09/885,247**) Group Art Unit: **1617**
Filed: **July 13, 2000**) Examiner: **Shaojia A. Jiang**
For: **Therapeutic Uses For Aminosterol Compounds**)

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TRANSMITTAL FORM

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in response to the non-final Office Action dated February 24, 2005.
2. Extension of Time: The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply. Applicants do not believe an additional extension of time is required. However, if Applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time, please consider this a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.
3. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. 1.16):

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Remaining		Previously Paid	Extra	Rate	Total Fees
Total Claims	23	minus	20	3	\$50 each=	150.00
Independent Claims	2	minus	3	0	\$200 each=	0.00
First presentation of Multiple dependent claim					\$360.00	360.00
						Sub-total = 510.00
						Reduction by ½ for filing by a small entity 255.00
						Total Fee = \$255.00

4. Fee Payment: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$255.00** to Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for payment of the additional total claims fee (\$75.00) and the first presentation of multiple dependent claims fee (\$180.00), both at the small entity rate.
5. Constructive Petition: Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This

paragraph is intended to be a **constructive petition for extension of time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

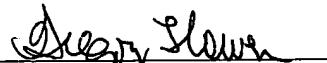
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

This response is being filed in reply to the non-Final Office Action dated February 24, 2005, the time for responding to which extends through May 24, 2005. Applicants request reconsideration of the subject application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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